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The reply filed on 5-14-2007 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): Applicant made arguments with respect to claim 3 and then stated that independent claims 13, 25, 35, 44 and 47 have been amended to include limitations similar to those of independent claims and therefore, claims 13, 25, 35, 44 and 47 are believed to be allowable for the same reasons as argued for claim 3. This is not found to be accurate. A review of independent claims 44 and 47 indicates that the amendment to those two claims, especially for claim 44 is much broader than the amendment to claim 3. Therefore, the arguments made for claim 3 do not apply to claims 44 and 47. As a result, applicant has failed to point out the specific distinctions believed to render claims 44 and 47 patentable over the applied prior art. See 37 CFR 1.111 and MPEP 714.02. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry regarding this communication should be directed to Ren Yan at telephone number 571-272-2173.

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